

THRILLING BEAR HUNT HELD IN UPPER END OF POCAHONTAS COUNTY APRIL 27

SHEEP OWNERS ORGANIZE PARTY AND BAG LARGE
BEAR AFTER SHORT BUT EXCITING CHASE

By LEO YOUNG

ARBOVALE—April 27 saw the climax of one of the quickest and most exciting bear hunts that has taken place in the upper end of Pocahontas County for a long time.

For the past week, Jess and Harper Wooddell, Jess McCalpin and Walter Ruckman have been having sheep killed by bear. The Wooddells lost seven, Jess McCalpin four, and Walter Ruckman one. These men have mountain places on Buffalo Mountain, and use them for summer grazing.

On April 25, Arch Wooddell and Junior Wooddell brought their dogs up on Buffalo Mountain and chased one bear over into Virginia and had to give up the chase on account of darkness. However, it was discovered that more than one bear was doing the killing. So a call for help was sent out, and time set for hunt, early on April 27, to meet at Jess McCalpin's place on Buffalo Mountain.

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Going to where the McCalpin sheep were killed, it was discovered that the bear had been back during the night, and eaten a mess of mutton. Leading the dogs till they came to his bed, the dogs were turned loose and the chase went down over the side of Buffalo Mountain. In

as the bear was reaching for him, and shot him in the shoulders, breaking both sides of his shoulders. The bear died where little June Galford was standing when he first shot the bear out of the tree. One of the bullets crippled one of Junior Wooddell's dogs in the foreleg.

Hog dressed, the bear was carried down to the North Fork road and hauled to Green Bank, where it was weighed. The weight was 275 pounds hog dressed.

Sheep is the largest money crop in Pocahontas County. To some of you who read this and live outside of Pocahontas County, you will wonder how people living in the county can kill bear anytime during the year, when there is a closed season on bear.

Here are the facts:

In West Virginia if a bear kills sheep, the owner is out just that many sheep and cannot get any damages whatsoever. In the upper part of the county during the past 15 years, many small farmers owning mountain farms have had to sell their remaining sheep and quit raising sheep altogether. In many cases when they could no longer make a living, they sold their farms to the government. In one night's time bear have killed all the profit for a year's hard work by a mountain farmer.

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the fight was on. Up Kerr Ridge
the dogs and bear went, with lit-
tle June Galford leading all the
hunters. On top of Kerr Ridge
the bear treed. Getting there
first, little June Galford decided
to kill the bear, as it was get-
ting nervous. After being shot in
the sticking place, the bear fell
to the ground and began fight-
ing, biting one of Junior Wood-
dell's dogs badly in the shoul-
der, and at the same time al-
most charging little June Gal-
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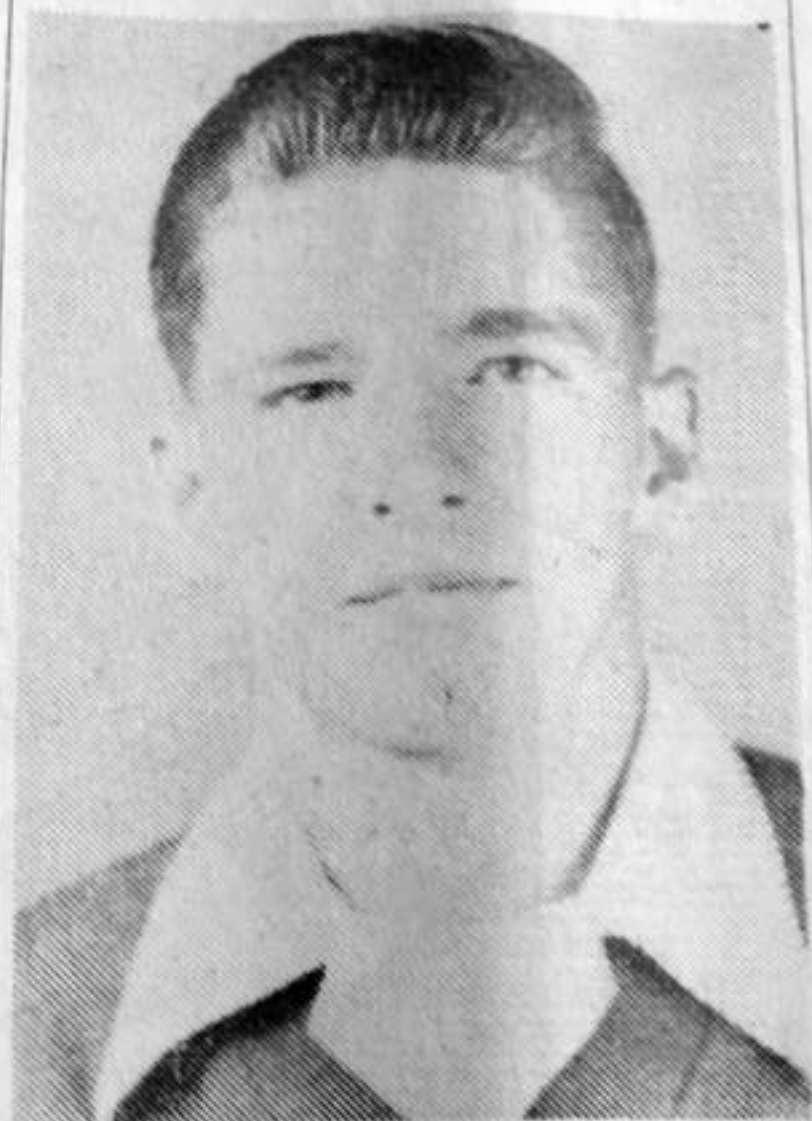
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When game endangers life or
property, it can be shot in de-
fiance of closed seasons.

On the other hand, if a farm-
er lets some of his stock get out
on the highway, and is run into
by an automobile, doing damage
to the car, the farmer has to
stand good for the damage.

On the other hand the Conser-
vation Commission of West Vir-
ginia does not even have to hear
claims of damage done by bear.

These farmers have lost in the
neighborhood of \$600 in sheep,
and will also take a loss this
fall, when they go to sell the
lambs orphaned by bear.

So you can see why bear are
killed in Pocahontas County dur-
ing closed season.



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Kenneth May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert May, of Beard, has been selected Chapter Star Farmer by the Hillsboro F. F. A. Chapter for outstanding work in supervised farming during the past year.

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In addition to his supervised farming work in vocational agriculture, Kenneth finds time to serve as president of the local FFA Chapter, is active in 4-H work, church work, athletics, and numerous other community and county activities.

Presentation of a cash award from the State Department of Agriculture and a medal from the National F. F. A. Foundation was made at the annual parent and student banquet Wednesday night, April 25, at the Hillsboro High School.

Valedictorian



Pictured above is Roy B. Clarkson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Clarkson, of Cass, who has been chosen as valedictorian for the 1951 graduating class at Davis and Elkins. Clarkson had a four-year average of 2.91, the highest of 190 students in the senior class. He is majoring in math and minoring in science in preparation for entering the secondary teaching field. He plans to do graduate work at West Virginia University.

Durbin Elementary School Will Have 34 In Graduating Class

Thirty-four students will be graduated from the Durbin Elementary School on Tuesday night, May 22, at 8 o'clock.

James Moler, principal of the Charles Town elementary schools, will give the commencement address.

The class valedictorian is Miss Georgia Puffenbarger and the salutatorian is Benjamin Rose. Both have straight "A" averages.

On May 17, the class will visit the state capitol and other points of interest in Charleston. A chartered bus will be used.

The class flower is lilac, the class colors purple and white, and the class motto is "We're on our way."

This year the students are dedicating their class to Max Poscover, the school principal.

The following is a tentative list of the graduates:

William Aaron Mullenax, Andy Junior Brewster, Vernon Frederick Beckett, Violet Louise Hoover, Georgia Darlene Puffenbarger, Hope Clara Bolton, Donald Benjamin Cromer, Louise Blanche Tallman, Benjamin Allen Rose, Franklin Corbitt Vandevender, Doris Jean Moore, Katherine Mae Mullenax, Joann Bennett, Connie Lee Johnson, Glenn Blair Gragg, George William Hoover, Mary Jean Simmons, Vada Kathleen Teter, Betty De-

Local Colored News

There will be services at Wilson Chapel on Sunday, May 6, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. Carl E. Boggs is the minister.

Services were held at Mt. Zion Baptist Church Sunday by the Rev. C. C. Logan, of Lewisburg.

James Gary and family, of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gary, of Marlinton.

Those who were guests to the singing convention from Marlinton and Brownsburg were Deacon Edward Boggs, Miss Elsie Roland, W. M. Boggs, George Walker, Miss Hazel McChestney, and Rufus Clark.

Those remaining on the sick list include Mrs. Winston Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Evans, and little Glenn Edward Jackson.

Annual Senior-Alumni Banquet Held Friday Evening At El Poca

The Marlinton Senior-Alumni annual banquet was held last Friday evening, May 6, at the El Poca Restaurant, with an attendance of approximately 125.

The welcome address was given by Dr. Thomas King, president of the Alumni Association, and the response was given by Curtis Curry, president of the Senior Class of 1951.

Entertainment included songs by Elmer Jackson, son of Mrs. Lula Jackson and a member of the sixth grade class of the Marlinton Graded School.

Guest speakers were Eric Clutter, superintendent of Pocahontas County schools; F. E. Smith, membership chairman of the Alumni Association; Charles Edward McElwee, co-sponsor of the senior class, and Miss Pearl Carter, member of the first graduating class of Marlinton High School in 1917.

All 1951 graduates were urged to become active members of the Alumni Association.

Cass Graduation Program Will Be Held On May 21

The graduation exercises for the Cass Graded School will be held Monday evening, May 21, at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. The commencement speaker will be D. Edgell Dean, principal of Richwood High School.

The following is a tentative list of the graduates:

Betty June Moats, Minnie Carol Wright, John Beryl Cassell, Garland Wayne Foe, Barbara Lee Slavens, Doris Mae Hamrick, Colleen Rose Dill, Lorene Alice Thomas, Virgil Kenneth Summerfield, Brown Franklin Meeks, Homer Marshall Varner, Charles Emory Howell, Harold Dean Neighbors, Ralph Vaughn Geiger, Donald Lee Barb, Evelyn Louise Mace, Mary Margaret Tacy, Marvin Lee Moss, Gene Hannah Kesler, Lester Earl Sturgill, Jr., Carl Ernest Payne.

Old Lick

Carolyn Bennett 4.

Pleasant Hill

Margie Wilfong 4, Alice Nelson 5, Joan Wilfong 7.

Seneca Trail

Martha Doyle 4, Sharon Hannah 4, Gloria Shelton 4, Wilbert Van Meter 4.

Eleanor Anne Hannah 5, Tucker Reynolds 5.

Lewis Beale 6, Robert Cross 6, Gatha Gibson 6, Richard Kramer 6, Keith Mace 6, Ernest Shaw 6, Martha Vandevender 6, Donald Ware 6.

Bonnie Brothers 7, Eugene Hannah 7, Norman Smith 7, Walter Kellison 7, Mary Vandevender 7, June Vandevender 7.

Allan Gibson 8, Naomi Gibson 8, Alberta Jordan 8, Shirley Mace 8, Harper Nelson 8, Roy Pennington 8.

West Droop

Curtis Hollandsworth 5, Jack Hollandsworth 6, Herman Taylor 6, Eddie Wiley 6, Betty McMillion 6, Linda Starks 6.

West Union

Robert Gilmore 7.

Woodrow

Randall Biller 4, Linda Goldizen 4, Dale Biller 5, Dotty Lou Mullens 6, Shirley Goldizen 6, Richard Jordon 6, Loy Burgess 6, Thelma Jordon 6, Joyce Jackson 6.

COLORED NEWS

The W. S. C. S. of Marlinton will have a banquet at the Greenbrier Hill School on Friday evening, May 11, at 8 o'clock. The neighboring clubs and societies are asked to participate and the residents of the community are cordially invited. Admission will be 50 cents.

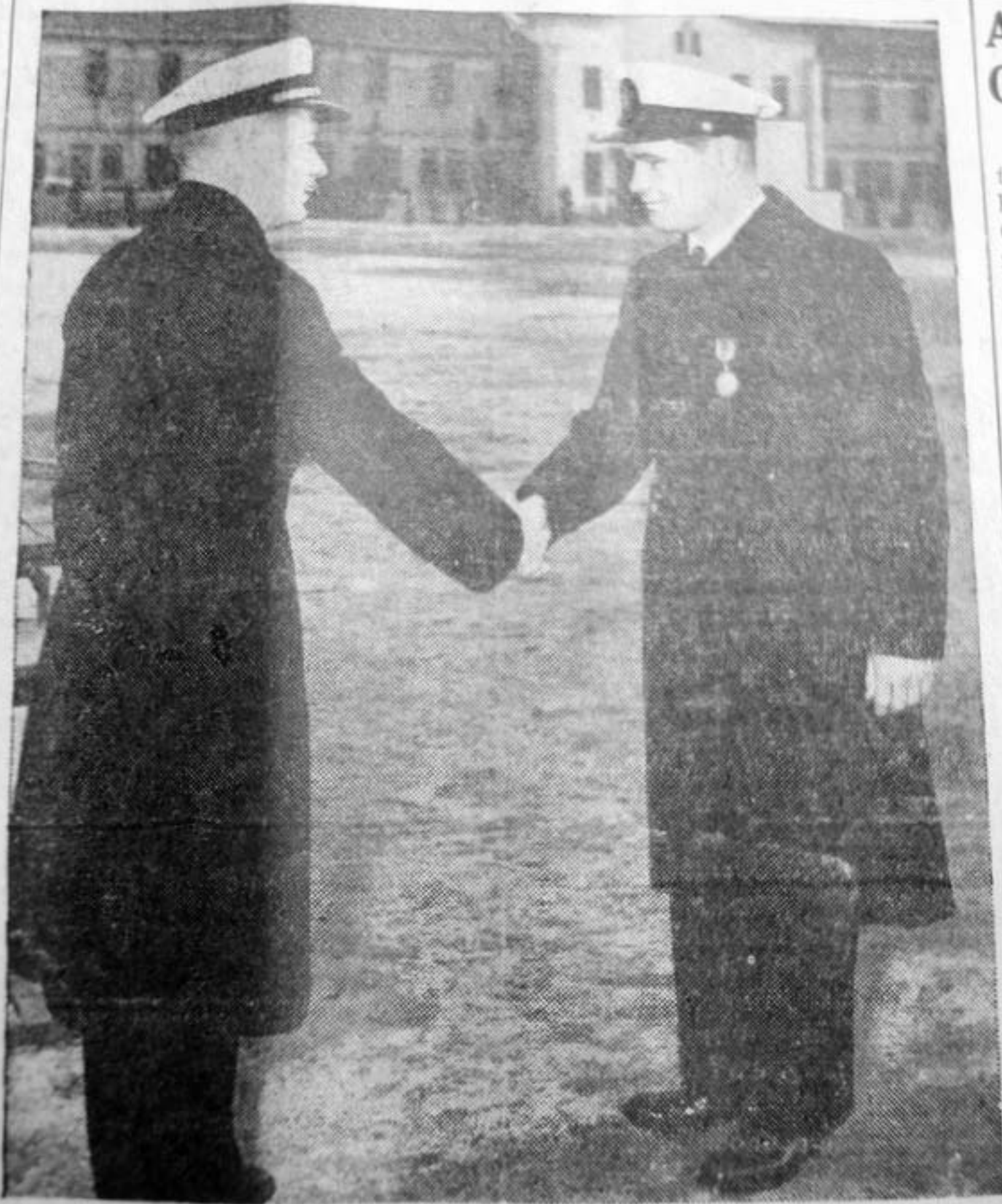
Rev. W. T. Spriggs will preach his farewell sermon at Wilson Chapel Sunday at 11 a. m. before the annual conference. At 12 o'clock, lunch will be served by the W. S. C. S. At 3 p. m. a Mother's Day program will be held. Everyone cordially invited.

Cpl. Lock Boggs, of Fort Sill, Okla., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Boggs.

Officers for the Macedonia Faithful Workers Club were recently elected for the year, as follows: President, George Walker; deacon, John Boggs; treasurer, W. M. Boggs, Jr.; secretary, Nathan Walker. Mr. Nathan and George Walker were placed on trial for deacons of the Macedonia Baptist Church.

Choir rehearsal will be held at Wilson Chapel Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

The Macedonia Baptist Church will have a rally Sunday, May 20. The morning service will be held at 11 a. m. Dinner will be served at 1 p. m., and at 2:30 will be the ordination of Rev. Carl E. Boggs. The public is invited to attend these services.



Receiving the congratulations of his commanding officer is Earl K. Slaven, aviation chief machinist's mate, USN, of Cass, W. Va., who was presented the Air Medal during ceremonies at the U.S. Naval Air Station, Iwakuni, Japan, recently. Slaven was awarded the medal for his participation as a plane captain during air combat patrols over Korea.

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Seek Road To Link Marlinton With Coal Field

A group of Marlinton residents were in Charleston last week to confer with the road commissioner in regard to the construction of three and a half miles of road which would connect Route 219, at Hannah School house on Elk River, with the big coal field development on Gauley River.

Those making up the party were State Senator Fred Allen, Kerth Nottingham, Calvin W. Price, all of Marlinton; J. N. Berthy, of Buckhannon, and Attorney John Fox, of Fayetteville.

The group was unable to confer with Mr. Cavendish, road commissioner, who was ill, but discussed the road building project with Harry Radcliffe, executive assistant to Mr. Cavendish.

While the group received no definite promise that the road would be built, it is understood that the commission agreed to investigate the matter, and if funds can be made available, to give attention to this project.

This is one local project which should have the wholehearted support of all residents of the community. The construction of this road would mean a source of employment for approximately 300 men in Marlinton and vicinity. These men cannot now be employed since the few men from this community who now work in that section must travel 70 miles in summer over national forest roads and in winter must travel 90 miles over hard roads by way of Webster Springs.

According to coal company officials, the coal deposits in the Gauley River and Tea Creek sections are sufficient to last for more than 50 years.

Studies Pocahontas Farming Methods

John Quinn, a young Irish farmer, arrived in Marlinton last Saturday evening to start a two-month farm training program in Pocahontas County. Mr. Quinn is one of 12 young men in the Irish group, and the only one to be trained in West Virginia. He will take his training on N. W. Shaw's farm at Edray.

The program is sponsored by the Economic Cooperative Administration. Similar groups from other Marshall Plan countries are also studying agriculture in the United States. The program is designed toward increasing the contribution of agriculture to meeting defense needs in the Marshall Plan countries by familiarizing the young farmers with U. S. farming methods and the organizations and agencies which have contributed so much to American agricultural productivity.

Mr. Quinn, who with his father, operates a small dairy farm in his home country, is anxious to learn about dairy farming in West Virginia, as well as the use of farm machinery, methods of growing crops, and the feeding of livestock. After he has completed his work at Mr. Shaw's farm he will move on for additional experiences in another state.

Leo Davis Heads District VFW Posts

District 7 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars held their regular meeting Sunday afternoon, May 20, at the Post home in Franklin.

The Seventh District is made up of posts from Elkins, Parsons, Thomas, Helvetia, Marlinton, Valley Head, Cass, Franklin, Mouth of Seneca, and Sugar Grove.

Leo Davis, of Marlinton, was elected to succeed John H. Wilson, of Parsons, as district commander. Mr. Davis has been active in local and district VFW work for several years. The past year he served as senior vice-commander for the district.

Mr. Davis will take the oath of office at an installation meeting to be held in Clarksburg on June 2.

Other members from Marlinton V. F. W. Post 4595 appointed to office were: Joseph S. Parsons, district adjutant, and Grady K. Moore, district service officer.

Those representing the Marlinton Post at the meeting were: Leo Davis, Stanley Kennison, James Michael, and Joseph Parsons.

CAKE WALK

Third Avenue, between Bank of Marlinton
and Harry Sharp's Store

Saturday Night, June 2, 7:30

String Music by Norman McCloud and
His Boys

This event is sponsored by the Marlinton
Rotary Club, the proceeds going to
Boy Scout Troop 33.

The Scouts need funds to carry on, so everyone
is invited to please come out and make the
evening a success.

If it should rain this night the walk will be
held in the High School Gym.

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Letters From Our Readers

May 13, 1951

Martin Editor Marlinton Journal:

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are often seen in public places.
Kilroy was here."

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pen roy was here." Now that New
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the Washington ambassador to that
Government and it is whispered
that a loan from "Uncle Sap"
on- is being sought to rehabilitate
he the incompetently managed prop-
n- erties, yes, "Kilroy was and is
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in tween Franklin D. Roosevelt, rep-
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id Britain, and Generalissimo Chi-
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er Republic of China, it was re-
portedly agreed that Formosa
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e public of China, which was a
f logical and fair agreement be-
e cause the Generalissimo had
fought Japan and Communism
for years without help from oth-
ers.

The Generalissimo and a large
loyal army are now on the Island
of Formosa, and have stood rea-
dy to help the United Nations

forces in Korea with trained men but his offer has been refused. Why? Yes, why?

Has anyone heard of or read "The White Paper"? Was not the present secretary of defense a special ambassador to China and became angry at Chiang Kai-Shek because he would not agree to accept Communists into his cabinet?

Then to satisfy that anger is it not true that "the special roaming attache" of the State Department agreed to help the Reds by financing and training ten divisions with American officers and with American taxpayers' money and was not a bill to provide that introduced and congressional committee hearings not revealed until just recently? "Kilroy was there."

Is it not true that about that time the British Socialist group came and asked for and received a loan of \$3,700,000,000 to finance the nationalization of British property, including financing and fostering trade with the Chinese Reds? Will that loan be paid? Have the English ever paid us any war debt?

The Marshall Plan, with \$14,000,000,000, plus the \$3,700,000,000 loan gift totals \$17,700,000,000, which is \$118 for every man, woman and child in the U. S. and the irony of the mess is that our money and materials furnished are being sold and delivered to Red China to equip the Red Chinese and North Korean army to wound and slaughter our American boys. Is this sane, insane or downright stupid duplicity? "Kilroy was there."

What made this country strong? What has put the U. S. at the head of the nations of the

Thursday, May 24, 1951

Controls crush initiative and
spending destroys thrift.

"Westward course the empire
takes its way,

The four first acts have pass-
ed,

The fifth shall close the drama
of the day."

"God of Heaven, be with us
yet,

Lest we forget, lest we for-
get."

A. D. WILLIAMS,

6912 Avenue U
Houston 11, Texas.

HEART FUND IS \$73.06

The Pocahontas County heart
fund for this area amounted to
\$73.06, and that amount has
been forwarded on to Miss Car-
olyn Rainbolt, state secretary.
The heart campaign was spon-
sored by the Business and Pro-
fessional Woman's Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Waugh
and daughter, Harriet Faye,
were recent visitors in Warm
Springs, Va.

terested in livestock production is employed.

Will Appear In Benefit Recital At Lewisburg



MISS COLETTA WARREN

Pictured above is Miss Coletta Warren, daughter of Dr. R. G. Warren, superintendent of Denmar Sanatorium, who will appear in a recital at Bowling High School, Lewisburg, at 8 o'clock on the evening of June 26. Miss Warren, a coloratura-soprano, is a student of the Julliard School

of Music and was considered a "find" when she appeared, prior to entering this school, on the National Branch Night of Howard University, Washington, D. C., of which school she is a graduate. In addition to her appearance at Lewisburg, Miss Warren will also present recitals in a number of points throughout Virginia and West Virginia during the months of June and July. Her appearance at Lewisburg will be a benefit performance for the patients of Denmar Sanatorium, many of whom are endeared to her and especially her first teacher who was a patient of the institution.

Miss Warren will be accompanied by the able pianist, Dr. Henry Kendlam, of the Howard University School of Music, of Washington, D. C.

Tickets for the concert will be on sale in Marlinton and Hillsboro within the next two weeks. Any persons or groups desiring information with regard to the concert may contact James Lewis Hicklin, III, publicity and press agent for Miss Warren, or the Denmar Committee Association, of which executive secretary is Dorcas Claytor, at No. 10, Denmar Sanatorium, Denmar, W. Va.

COLORED NEWS

Services will be held at Wilson Chapel Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. E. Boggs, minister.

The Chapel Sons sang at the John Street Baptist Church at Elkins Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied by Mrs. Charles Wilson.

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral of James Reynolds Wednesday were his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Primyon, Mrs. Hazel Hicks and Mrs. Catherine Coleman and daughter, of Pittsburgh, Pa., Ernest Jordon, of Steubenville, Ohio, Mrs. Betty Smothers, of Lexington, Va.

Mrs. Virgie Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hutton Sheffey, of Ronceverte.

Mrs. Homer Stewart attended the annual conference at Baltimore, Md., last week. Mrs. Stewart also visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Spriggs in Ohio.

Mrs. Lizzie Robinson has been able to be up and about again

Dunmore

Recent week-end guests of Mrs. F. C. Pritchard were Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Pritchard and family, of Charleston, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knox, of Cannelton.

Mrs. Frank Ellis accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Oney Plyler, of Cass, to Crawley Sunday, who were taking their son, Edward, to meet the boys with whom he came from Fort Knox, Ky. Pvt. Plyler was home on short leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Wimer and sons, of Front Royal, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Hammer and family, of Monterey, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Brock and family, of Mill Gap, Va., were Sunday dinner guests at the Brock home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pugh and son, of Hightown, Va., were Sunday visitors at the home of the J. U. Hevener's and Brock's.

Mrs. W. F. McElwee, Cora Sue McElwee and Mrs. O. J. Campbell and Dorothy and Katherine Campbell visited Mr. and Mrs. Moore at Seebert Sunday.

Mrs. John Pritchard spent the past week in Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rhea and family, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with his parents,

CLARKSON FAMILY REUNION HELD SUNDAY

The reunion of the Clarkson family was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clarkson, at Cass. A delicious dinner and supper were enjoyed, along with the activities of the day.

Those attending were Mrs. John Gustafson and daughter, of Geneva, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ramondo and son, of San Antonio, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clarkson and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jackson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Clarkson and son, Miss Monta McLaughlin, of Cass; Miss Clara Dahmer, Roy Clarkson, and Ward McLaughlin, of Charlottesville, Va.

Wins Merit Award



EVELYN PAULINE HILL

Miss Evelyn Pauline Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Hill, of Lobelia, received her nursing diploma at the Davis Memorial Hospital graduation exercises held recently in the Davis Memorial Presbyterian Church in Elkins. The guest speaker for the occasion was the Rt. Rev. William C. Campbell, of Charleston, bishop coadjutor of the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Hill, of Lobelia, received her nursing diploma at the Davis Memorial Hospital graduation exercises held recently in the Davis Memorial Presbyterian Church in Elkins. The guest speaker for the occasion was the Rt. Rev. William C. Campbell, of Charleston, bishop coadjutor of the Episcopal diocese in West Virginia. The invocation and benediction were given by the pastor, Rev. Warner DuBose, Jr. Mrs. Merrit Mauzy, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. G. H. Neale, sang "God of the Open Air", by Cain, and "The Lord's Prayer", by Malotte.

The presentation of pins was made by Mrs. Jesse DeMotto, R. N., and the diplomas were presented by Mrs. Maude Hinchman, R. N. The Merit Award was presented by Mrs. Olive Cunningham, president of the Woman's Hospital Auxiliary, to Miss Evelyn Pauline Hill for outstanding achievement.

Other members of the graduating class from Pocahontas County were Winona Carmalee Coxey, Goldie Mae Slaven, and Evelyn Helene Taylor.

THEN UP STEPPED MIGHTY CASEY I



Miss Jewel Sharp Weds Harold Murphy



and "The Lord's Prayer", by Malotte. Mrs. Gravino also accompanied the soloist, Miss Janei Young. The bridal party entered the church to the strains of "Andante Cantabile" from "The Fifth Symphony", by Tschai-kowsky. The recessional was "Mendelssohn's Wedding March."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in a gown of white lace over satin, the hoop skirt extending into a brief train and the bodice fashioned with a round high neckline and short sleeves. She wore matching mitts. Her finger tip veil of illusion was arranged from a tiara of orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of white roses and baby's breath with red roses at the center.

The bride's sister, Miss Alice Simon, as maid of honor, wore blue brocaded satin with head-dress of flowers, and carried a bouquet of yellow roses and blue

Best man was the groom's brother, Herbert Stacy Ardell, III.

Ushers were William M. Gain, II, and Walter Drake, of Newburgh, N. Y., classmates at Annapolis.

A small reception was held at the home of the bride for relatives and a few friends, after which the couple left for a wedding trip to the Poconos.

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BABY PANTS—DRYPER
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DRYPER PADS
HARRY A. SHARP
Marlinton, W. Va.

Alpine

VA., THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1951

4-H Team Will Participate In State Registration Contest

Leard and Yvonne Gil-
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August 31 at Jackson's

Hills Creek Falls S Views Of Wild, R

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Publicity Commission.)

Hills Creek Falls Section Offers Startling Views Of Wild, Rugged Mountain Scenery

(This is another in a series of articles about interesting places to visit in West Virginia written by the staff of the West Virginia Industrial and Publicity Commission.)

A short but strenuous hike up a boulder-cluttered hollow near Lobelia rewards you with a startling view of a waterfall that cascades over a vertical wall of limestone for a drop of nearly 75 feet.

This is the main falls of Hills Creek located in the mountain wilds of Pocahontas County in southeastern West Virginia. The spot has been visited by only a handful of energetic sight-seers, hunters and fishermen because of its isolated location.

From level acres into the falls is only about a mile, but it's rough going over rugged uphill terrain. Sharp rocks bang your ankles, there is mud to slow your steps and thousands of twigs and branches to scratch the amateur outdoorsman's face and arms.

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rapids and innumerable pools where a choice trout might be lurking. Harry Sharp, of the State Conservation Commission, describes Hills Creek as his pet trout stream, and admits that one of the pools is the home of a rainbow he has been after for three years. It's stubborn and won't take any bait he has offered, Sharp says, so it must be a native.

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The water rushes over the high ledge and is almost a mist before it reaches the shallow pool below. The entire scene is framed by the greenery of overhanging trees and only a suggestion of blue sky can be glimpsed through the thick growth beyond the summit. A clump of rhododendron seems to rise out of the water where it grows precariously at the cliff's edge.

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At the far end of the fields the land rises sharply and at once becomes thickly wooded. Here begins the slow winding trip upward through unbelievable wilderness.

The only sound is the swish of the cool clear stream plunging downward from mountain heights above. You are lost in nature . . . alone with the tang of the forest.

A leisurely ascent is advisable. If you are a fisherman, you're in luck. The stream swirls around and over great rocks forming miniature waterfalls,

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That's more believable than the story told by some fishermen—some of the trout are so big and powerful, it is said they can leap from the surface of the pool to a point above the falls!

Two smaller but equally picturesque falls are located upstream. One is about one-half and the other about one-third as high as the main waterfall. These, however, are extremely difficult to reach from below due to the steep, forested countryside.

It is possible to approach the falls from W. Va. 39 at a point about 12 miles west of Mill Point.—Bill Downs.

Alpine Theatre

MARLINTON, WEST VIRGINIA

WEEK STARTING FRIDAY, AUGUST 3

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

"RAIDERS OF TOMAHAWK CREEK"

With Charles Starrett and Smiley Burnette

Also

"UNDER CAPRICORN"

With Ingrid Bergman and Joseph Cotten

Serial Now Playing: "OVERLAND WITH KIT CARSON"

MONDAY

TUESDAY

"YOUNG DANIEL BOONE"

With David Bruce and Kristine Miller

Also

"HOT ROD"

With James Lydon and Gloria Winters

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

"THE COMPANY SHE KEEPS"

With Lizbeth Scott and Dennis O'Keefe

Cartoons

ALL CHILDREN ENTERING THEATRE MUST
PAY ADMISSION

Three Prisoners Attack Policemen But Are Subdued

Two members of the West Virginia State Police, Troopers Cassell and Dawson, who are stationed at Rainelle, were recently attacked by three New York highwaymen as the police officers were taking them from the Greenbrier County jail at Lewisburg to Fayetteville.

The three, John Smith, 17, John Sawyers, 18, and Daniel Kremens, 18, made their fight for freedom near Pence Springs on the Hinton-Beckley road. Two of the youths handcuffed together in the back seat, struck Trooper Cassell with their shackles, leaving two cuts on his head, while the third man reached for Dawson's gun.

Dawson, who was driving the police car, was shoved under the steering wheel, and Cassell was also shoved forward in the car. However, Dawson quickly stopped the car and the prisoners were subdued before the trip was continued.

The trio had been arrested and charged with the armed robbery of Mr. and Mrs. Zachary Kush, of Cincinnati, Ohio, who were enroute to Virginia Beach, Va., at the time.

Trooper Cassell is a son of Odey Cassell, of Cass.

Make A Date To Attend
Pocahontas County Fair
SPECIAL EVENT

REAL LIVE BEAR AND DOG FIGHT

THURSDAY, AUG. 16

2 P. M.

Bring Your Dog
Bring Lots Of Dogs
The More Dogs the Better
the Show.

Don't Miss This!

ONE DAY ONLY

Your Dog Admits You to the Show.

Make A Date Now . . .
TO ATTEND

Pocahontas County Fair

August 13-18

Fun and entertainment for six nights and five days. Something going on all the time.

Livestock judging Tuesday and Wednesday.

Joie Chitwood's Auto Daredevils Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Fireworks display Wednesday evening.

Thursday—4-H and Children's Day.

Friday: Horse Show afternoon and evening.

Saturday evening: Drawing for door prizes. Be on hand, yours may be the lucky number.

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Marlinton Methodist 55th Anniversary

Marlinton Methodist Church Will Observe 55th Anniversary With Special Services

On next Sunday the Marlinton Methodist Church will observe its 55th anniversary with its annual Homecoming services.

The cornerstone for the first Methodist Church in Marlinton was laid in 1896, while the Rev. George Echols was pastor. For the next decade the Marlinton church continued to be a part of the Huntersville Circuit and became a station church in 1906. Since 1896 there have been 24 ministers who have served as pastor. Sons of several of these pastors have since entered the Christian ministry.

The present building was erected in 1922 and 1923. And the parsonage was built in 1941. During this summer, a new garage for the parsonage has been built. With the present buildings the church has the best physical equipment in a considerable area, valued at close to \$100,000.

The church has served its community well during its history. And it has grown constantly. The present membership is 500. The Sunday School is growing

regularly in attendance. The Woman's Society of Christian Service is quite active. Two members of the local Society are officers of the Lewisburg District Woman's Society. One of the youth of the church has been an officer of the West Virginia Annual Conference Methodist Youth Fellowship for the past two years.

This year the annual homecoming will have the Church School at 10 a. m., the Morning Worship at 11 a. m., and a basket dinner in the Fellowship Hall at noon. The afternoon will be used for informal visiting. The Reverend Carl Haley, who is pastor of the Belmont Methodist Church in Roanoke, Va., will be the guest minister and will preach at the Morning Worship. The Reverend Mr. Haley will be remembered by many as the son of the Reverend J. H. Haley, who was the pastor of the Marlinton Methodist Church from 1929 until 1931.

The public is cordially invited to attend the Homecoming Services.

prior to sale time.

Miss Ruth Hill Resigns Her Position As Home Demonstration Agent

Announcement has been made of the official resignation of Miss Ruth Hill as county home demonstration agent in Greenbrier County. Her resignation has been filed with the Extension office in Morgantown and copies have been forwarded to the farm women's clubs of the county and to the Farm Bureau. Her resignation is effective September 1.

Miss Hill has filled the position of home demonstration agent in Greenbrier County for several years and has done a most excellent job of her work among the farm women of the county and her leaving will be regretted by all.

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Alfred Dilley Accepts Position With Daily Paper At Charleston

Alfred B. Dilley, of Marlinton, who for the past nine months has been employed as editor and manager of The Marlinton Journal, recently resigned his position here and left for Charleston last Friday morning, where he has accepted a position in the composing room of the Charleston Gazette. Mr. Dilley learned the printing trade at the Journal while the paper was owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey E Ferguson. He had been employed by the present publisher since November 1 of last year. Mr. Dilley expects to move his family to Charleston within the near future.

The Journal is sorry to lose the services of Mr. Dilley, but wishes him all success in his new position.

Now associated with the Journal publisher in the operation of the plant are Joseph S. Parsons, who has been with the Journal for the past several years, and Gerald Gordon and Mrs. Creola Schumaker Wilson, both of Marlinton.

With Anti-Sub Squad

Knocking out enemy submarines will be the job of Sandy C. Rose, aviation machinist's mate, third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Rose, of Box 26, Marlinton, W. Va., who is attached to Air Anti-Submarine Squadron 21, at the Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif.

The squadron is undergoing training in preparation for duty aboard an aircraft carrier. The unit is part of the Air Force, Pacific Fleet.

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Worth Announces Recent Purchase Of Camp Minnehaha

Announcement was made this week of the purchase by Johnny Worth of the land, buildings and fixtures of Camp Minnehaha, Inc., at Minnehaha Springs.

The new organization, which will continue with the operation of the boys' camp and two annual Red Cross schools, will be known as Johnny Worth, Inc.

Mr. Worth, who is a former well known athletic coach, has been associated with Camp Minnehaha since returning from service in 1946. He has just closed another successful seven weeks camp for boys at Minnehaha, and is now making preparations for the 1952 camp year. He has been a minor partner in the enterprise since 1946.

Before becoming associated with Camp Minnehaha, Mr. Worth was an outstanding and successful athletic coach for 17 years at Richwood, Hinton, and South Charleston. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois where he was active in athletics.

The many friends of Mr. Worth will be pleased to learn that he has taken over this well known camp enterprise and wish him all success in his new undertaking.

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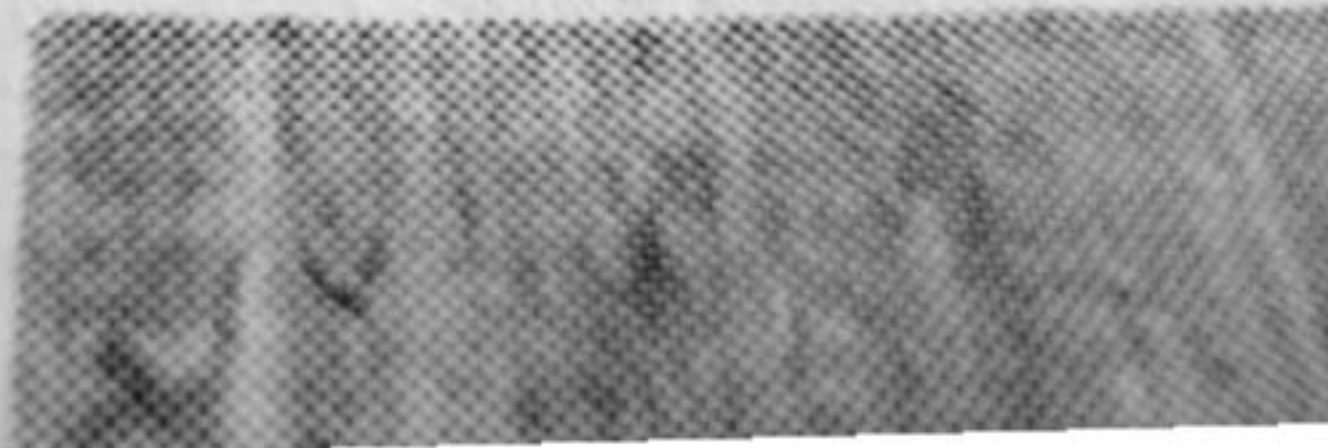
Rev. T. G. Alderman, of Marlinton, was elected state chaplain of the Junior Order United American Mechanics at the West Virginia convention of the order in Charleston last week. Bluefield was selected as the convention city for 1952.

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Promoted To Lieutenant Colonel



CONGRATULATIONS! Col. Thomas J. Barrett, commanding officer of Reese Air Force Base, Texas, pins lieutenant colonel leaves on Quinn L. Oldaker, of Durbin, W. Va., as he notifies him of his promotion to that grade from the grade of major. (Defense Dept. Photo—Air Force).

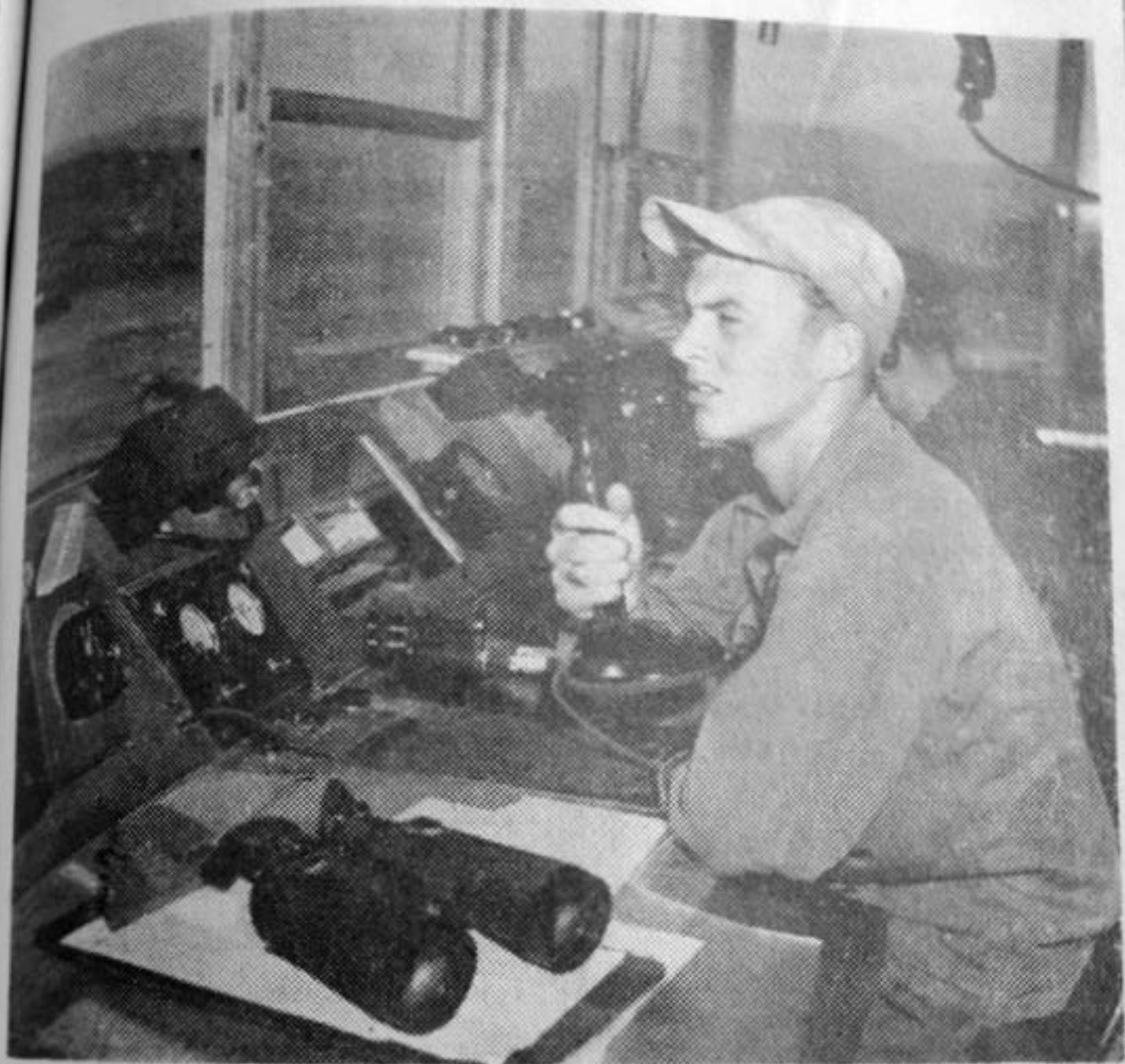
Maj. Quinn L. Oldaker, executive officer of the Pilot Training Group of the USAF Multi-Engine Pilot School at Reese Air Force Base, Texas, has been promoted to lieutenant colonel.

Colonel Oldaker, son of Mrs. Ernest E. Oldaker, of Durbin, and the late Mr. Oldaker, was commissioned December 29, 1932, through the Civilian Military Training Corps. He entered on active duty on November 20, 1940, and went to Hawaii where he was adjutant of the 23rd Bomb Group. His next assignment was at Pratt, Kansas, as

executive officer with the 29th Bomb Group. Then he spent some time in Japan in the Japanese Air Materiel Area. In September, 1947, the colonel was separated as an officer and served as a master sergeant until July 28 of the next year when he returned to officer status and was stationed with the 3500th Pilot Training wing at Barksdale AFB, La. He moved with that unit to Reese late in 1949.

Colonel and Mrs. Oldaker now reside at 3408 23rd Street in Lubbock, Texas.

Serving In Korea



452ND BOMB WING, Korea—Corporal Arnold R. Galford, of Green Bank, is known to pilots and crewmen of the Fifth Air Force's 452nd Bomb Wing as "The Voice." Galford is a control tower operator at the 452nd's busy Korean airstrip where its B-26 "Intruder" light bombers fly day and night interdiction and close support missions against the enemy in battered North Korea. The 452nd recently flew its 5,000th combat sortie in Korea and has already passed its first anniversary of active duty. Cpl. Galford is responsible for directing the United Nations aircraft to and from the 452nd's home base with a maximum of safety. He symbolizes the importance of the "behind the scenes" airmen to the overall operation of a tactical air war.

Thomas A. Cassell Promoted To Sergeant

Cpl. Thomas A. Cassell, son of Mrs. W. B. Cassell, who resides at Cass, a member of the United States Army, now serving with the United Nations forces in Korea, has been promoted to the grade of sergeant, it was recently announced by Headquarters, 7th Transportation Medium Port, APO 59, U. S. Army.

Sgt. Cassell, who attended the Cass Grade School, is a veteran of over four years military service. During World War II he served with the 2nd Engineer Special Brigade, in the Philippine Islands. Sgt. Cassell arrived in Korea July 8, 1950.

Marlinton Resident Dies From Injuries In Auto Accident

Mrs. Hattie Bernice Lester, 26, of Marlinton, died Sunday morning in the Marlinton hospital as the result of injuries sustained in an auto accident on Price Hill at 11:30 o'clock Friday night.

Mrs. Lester's husband, William B. Lester, 33, suffered painful but not serious injuries in the accident. Less seriously injured but badly shaken up was Herman J. Anderson, of Clarksburg.

The accident occurred when the Lester car, a 1936 Chevrolet sedan, traveling north, collided with the Anderson car, a 1948 Packard convertible, traveling south. Both cars were badly damaged.

The accident was investigated by Cpl. Mike Murphy, of the Marlinton State Police detachment.

Funeral services for Mrs. Lester were held at the Smith Funeral Home in Marlinton Tuesday afternoon, with Rev. Acel Garrison in charge. Interment was made in the Mt. View Cemetery.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Lester is survived by four small children, Barbara Sue, Frances Ann, Kitty Lee, and Thomas Keith; and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Wilt, of Swope, Va.

Lodge Building Being Repaired

The sum of approximately \$2,000 is being expended on repairs to the I. O. O. F.-Modern Woodmen Lodge building in Marlinton. The foundation on two sides of the building has been renewed, the sheet metal covering on the outside of the structure replaced where necessary and the building is now being painted.

The two-story structure houses a lodge hall and apartments on the second floor and has four storerooms on the ground floor.

One apartment on the second floor was recently converted into an up-to-date kitchen and dining room for use by the lodges.

In addition to the I. O. O. F. and Modern Woodmen lodges, the hall is also used by the Rebekah Lodge, the Daughters of America, the Junior Order United American Mechanics, the V. F. W., and others.

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Marlinton Mayor Is For National Busi

Old-Time Mountain Rifle Superior Weapon For Accuracy, Local Resident Believes

Manufacturers are constantly producing higher-powered and more complicated weapons for the hunter, but for accuracy, serviceability and simplicity of operation, whether for hunting or marksmanship contests, there never has been a weapon which would equal the old-time muzzle loading mountain rifle, in the opinion of W. L. "Bud" Hogzett, 87, life long resident of Pocahontas County, who now makes his home in Marlinton with his son, Lawrence Hogzett.

To prove his opinion, Mr. Hogzett can proudly display two of the long-barreled rifles, with numerous trophies and newspaper clippings to show what could be accomplished with the gun when it was in the hands of a marksman familiar with its operation.

Mr. Hogzett, before he retired, followed the trades of blacksmith and gunsmith in Pocahontas and Greenbrier counties, and was always on hand with his mountain rifle when shooting matches, which were common in the earlier days, were held. Using the long-barreled rifle, Mr. Hogzett says that he could drive the center of a target at 40 to 60 yards consistently, and carried home many prizes. He won regularly, he says, and never was defeated in a match, not because he was better than his competing marksmen, but because at the age of 14 he had learned the proper way of handling the gun.

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Since the rifle was of unusual length, being more than five feet from muzzle to the end of the stock, this was the secret of its deadly accuracy, Mr. Hogzett says. This is one principle which modern gun manufacturers discarded, he says, and now with the short barreled rifle or shotgun, the least movement made by the hunter or marksman at time of firing causes the charge to be further from the target than a similar movement made by the operator of the old time long-barreled rifle.

When asked about how long it took to load the long-barreled rifle, Mr. Hogzett explained that here also the proper technique was important. The powder, which was carried in the old-time powder horn, was poured into the gun barrel, the bullet and wadding added, and then tamped



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into place with the ramrod which was carried on the under-side of the gun barrel. This operation, Mr. Hogzett says, took only a few seconds and the gun would be ready for another shot almost in the wink of an eyelash. In the hands of an experienced hunter or marksman, the firing and loading operations were accomplished steadily, so that loading and firing appeared as an almost continuous movement.

Although his eyesight is not as good as in his younger days, Mr. Hogzett can still read without the aid of glasses, and were it not for the fact that marksmanship contests, such as were held in earlier days are no longer in vogue, would no doubt be showing the younger marksmen with the modern rifles the fine points of target and game shooting.



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Two County Men Die As Result Of Accident Saturday

One Pocahontas County man was killed instantly, one died later in the Marlinton Hospital and a third is seriously injured following an accident which occurred between Cass and Green Bank last Saturday night.

Wheeler P. Lindsey, 51, of Mingo, died instantly at 7 p. m. Saturday when the car in which he was riding struck a Mower Lumber Co. log truck on the Cass-Green Bank road.

Roscoe Taylor, 20, of Frost, died in the Pocahontas Memorial Hospital about 1:30 a. m. Sunday from injuries received in the accident, and Lyle Burchfield, 20, also of Frost, is in a serious condition in the same hospital.

Denver Kennedy, 19, of Cloverlick, was owner of the 1941 Oldsmobile sedan driven by Taylor, in which Lindsey, Kennedy and Burchfield were passengers. He is also in the hospital but his condition is not considered serious.

The driver of the log truck, which was traveling toward Cass at the time of the accident, was George Lynn McCarty, 38, of Dunmore. He was not injured.

It is believed that the driver of the passenger car, traveling away from Cass, did not see the approaching truck until the collision. Lindsey, who was alone in the back seat, was thrown clear of the car and died instantly.

Funeral services for Lindsey were held Tuesday afternoon at the Valley Head Methodist Church. Funeral services for Taylor were also held Tuesday from the Wesley Chapel Church.

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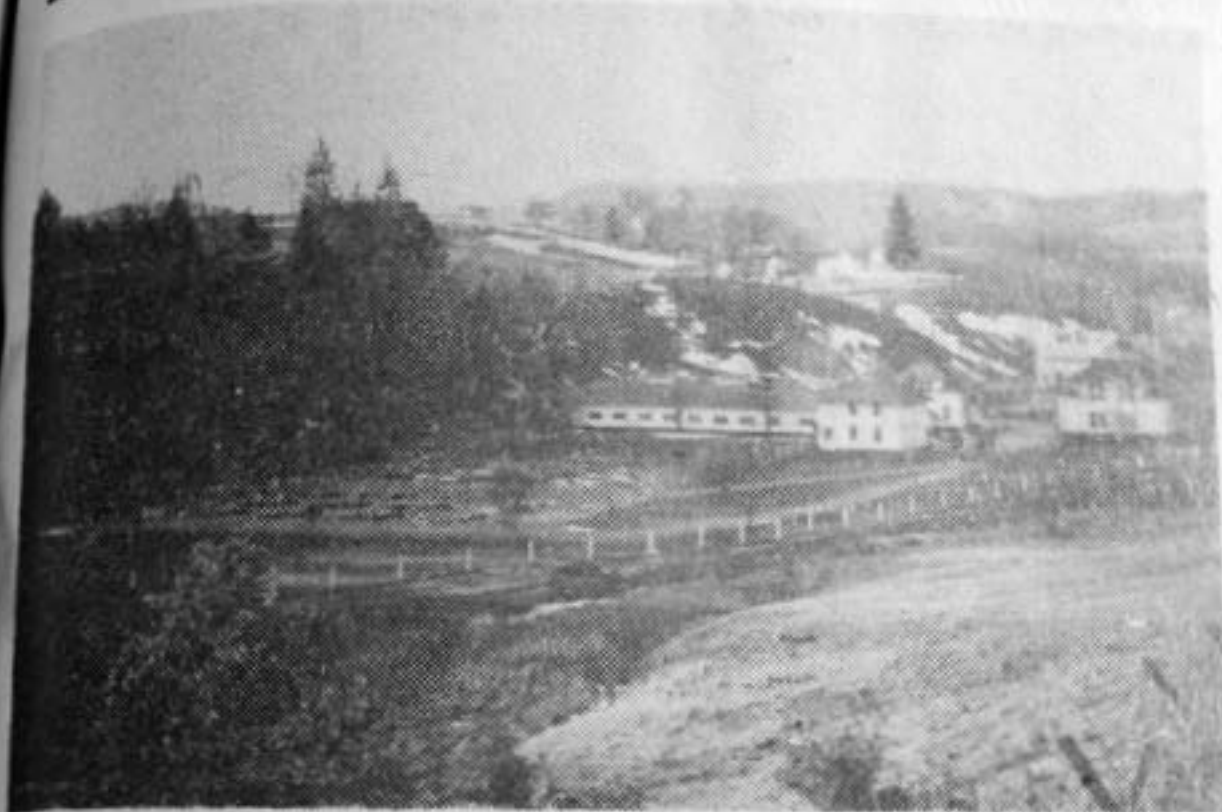
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Traveling In West Virginia—

Edray State Trout Hatchery Near Marlinton Is Interesting And Educational Attraction



General view of the Edray State Fish Hatchery is shown above.

EDRAY—The fish at Edray State Trout Hatchery in Pocahontas County aren't vain about their figures, but attendants keep them on a strict diet that's charted day by day.

The finny babies that winter at Edray require about 500 pounds of specially prepared feed every day during the peak of the growing season. Like human youngsters, they are subject to growing pains and a full round of more serious ailments.

A daily menu of meat and meal helps keep the trout vigorous and healthy. Their dry feed is a combination of white fish meal, middlings and cottonseed meal. To keep the blood

short and must be conserved. The waters and facilities at Edray will accommodate 125,000 legal length trout, or about 13 tons.

Edray trout live in a peaceful existence throughout the winter until the stocking season begins in the spring of the year. The Conservation Commission's Division of Fish Management usually begins stocking the state's trout streams in late March.

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In spite of constant care, the trout get sick and must be treated with drugs and chemicals. Such medicines are placed in the feed or directly in the waters of pools and raceways. There are known remedies for most fish diseases.

Many of the eggs from which will spring brook, brown and rainbow trout are imported from commercial hatcheries in Colorado and several northeastern states. Some of Edray's own eggs also are used.

The eggs are received in Autumn and put in hatching baskets. Edray's hatching capacity is a half-million trout a year. When the young swimmers are two to three inches long they are transferred to circular pools or raceways to grow to legal length.

Circular pools, fish management officials say, can be used to better advantage than raceways when the water supply is

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The Edray Hatchery consists of two units. One was established in 1932 and the other about five years ago. Both are fed by limestone springs situated in the mountains above. Cool waters rush downward to lower levels, forming small waterfalls enroute, and then are fed into pools by a system of pipelines.

The waters form a creek which is rather wide and deep at a point below one of the falls. Toss in a handful of feed and the stream will be thrashed alive by some of the most magnificent trout you ever imagined existing in the West Virginia hills. Unfortunately, they're not for taking.

The hatchery is located just one mile west of U. S. 219 and only about five miles from Marlinton in scenic, mountainous Pocahontas County. If you should be in the vicinity, plan to visit this interesting and educational attraction. You'll find it worthwhile.—Bill Downs.

OCTOBER 4, 1953 A YEAR, SINGLED

Four Felony, Two Misdemeanor Indictments Are Returned By Grand Jury Tuesday

The grand jury for the October term of Pocahontas County Circuit Court, in session Tuesday, returned four felony indictments and two misdemeanor indictments.

The indictments were:

Misdemeanor: State of West Virginia vs. William Lester; and State of West Virginia vs. Howard Wilfong.

Felony: State of West Virginia vs. Cleveland Smith; State of West Virginia vs. Colman Charles McCombs; State of West Virginia vs. Cleveland Smith, Delmar Varner and Burly Rexrode; and State of West Virginia vs. Frederick Calvin Warner and LeRoy Lambert.

Clarence Sheets, of Green Bank, served as foreman of the grand jury.

Scheduled to get under way Friday is the misdemeanor case of the State vs. Howard Wilfong, who it is charged, was the driver of a truck which struck and killed Roy E. Roberts, 45, of Stamping Creek, along the highway near his home last Saturday evening. Said to have been accompanying Wilfong at the time of the accident were his cousin, Billy Thomas, of Renick, and his brother, Clyde Wilfong, also of

Stamping Creek. Wilfong entered a plea of not guilty when arraigned Tuesday.

Grand jurors called to report on Tuesday, October 2 were:

Green Bank District: Clarence Sheets, Gerald Wooddell, Odey N. Cassell, Warren Sheets, J. M. Matheny.

Edray District: W. W. Harper, Edwin Y. Coyner, Cameron Beverage, Neal F. McKissic, V. M. Loudermilk, W. M. Wimer.

Huntersville District: G. M. Sharp, Richard Gibson.

Little Levels District: Ralph Arbogast, Claude W. Bruffey, Denny C. McCoy.

Petit jurors summoned for Wednesday, October 3 were:

W. D. Campbell, Glade Fertig, John N. Barnett, Lloyd Pennybacker, Leonard Dean, Leffort M. Kidd, Earl Kellison, Lewis Dumire, Boyd U. Dilley, Arvel B. Dilley, Parker A. Curry, Tharp Kelley, Harmon Dilley, Price Kessler, W. A. Dunbrack, Wyman R. Cutlip, Gail B. Dilley, Homer Cutlip, Paul H. Burr, Lanty P. Gilmore, Morris B. Friel, Robert G. Deputy, Jimmie H. Gibson, J. B. Graham, Richard W. McCarty, Ward R. Kelley, Joseph E. Friel, Carl L. Gibson, J. C. Fulks, Alfred Collins.

Back Mountain

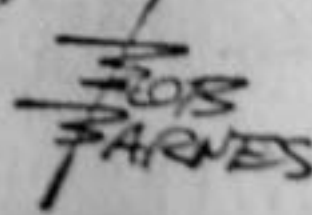
It is with sadness we have to tell of the death of Mrs. Eston Nelson, of Durbin, who died at her home September 28. She had been in ill health for some time but her death was a shock to all. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, two sons and four daughters, and 11 step-children, besides a number of relatives and friends. A chair is vacant in her home which never can be filled. Her funeral was preached at the Durbin Brethren Church by her pastor, Rev. Robert L. Byrd, and her body was laid to rest on top of Allegheny at the Wilmoth Cemetery. A very large crowd was in attendance. The floral offerings were indeed beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rankin, of Chicago, are visiting their parents here. They were callers at the home of Adam Hevener on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Cecil Houchin is going to the hospital this week for observation.

Calling on Adam Hevener Tuesday morning were Gordie Spencer and Luther Nelson, of Adamsville, Pa., Jeff Taylor, of

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"My dear—you have the nicest fillets I've ever seen."

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Stamping Creek

"Crazy Daze", All Local Talent Show, Will Be Presented Next Monday And Tuesday

"Crazy Daze", that wonderful three-act comedy all local talent show, will be presented on Monday and Tuesday, October 22 and 23, at 8:01 p. m. at the Marlinton High School auditorium. This show is being sponsored by the W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church and is for the benefit of church activities.

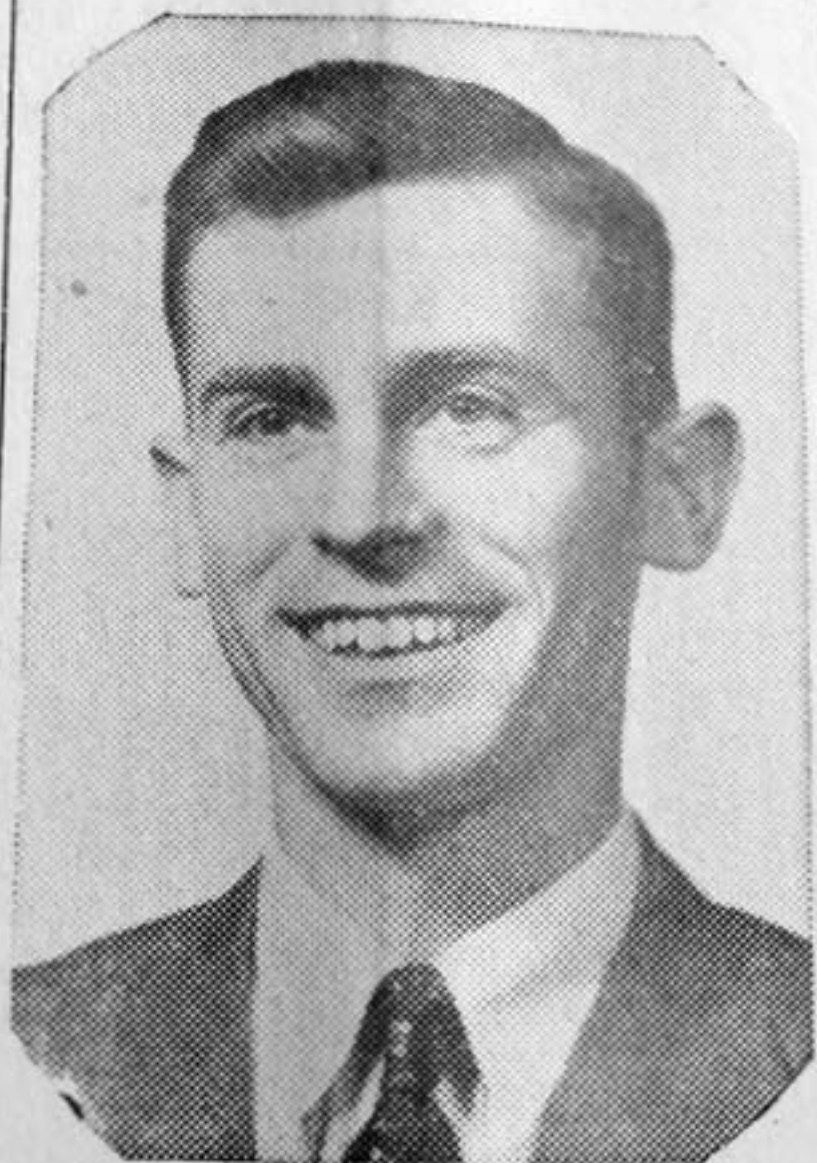
There will be a matinee on Monday, Oct. 22, for grade children, at 1:30 p. m., and a matinee for junior high and high school students on Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 1:30 p. m.

"Crazy Daze" is a funny, wholesome, and fast-moving riot of laughs, with lots of action, and a simple story of a typical American family and their problems in selecting a husband for their older daughter Dorothy (Jane Ruckman). Henry Williams, the father, (Jim Dean) leads a frustrated life, being

dominated by the "wimmen" folks of his household. His sweet and lovely daughter Dorothy, is in love with the boy next door, Phil Newberry (Jack Bear). But Henry's wife, Vera (Connie Herold) and her mother, Ima Crabb, (Hyldred Crickard) think that Count Cecil Sissingham (Ralph Michael) would make a wonderful son-in-law because of his "nobility." With the help of Toby Jones (Kline Lovelace), the red-wigged funny boy, and a mysterious old character, Aza Post, (William Gallagher), who "appears" to be deaf, the worm turns and Henry begins to wear the pants in the family. Little sister Audrey (Ruthine Taylor), and Lawsy Ann Sakes (Mabel Lang), the comedy hired girl, who is in love with Toby and tries to win his "affection" by unusual methods, keep things in

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HEADS COUNTY CAMPAIGN



RAYMOND L. SWADLEY

Raymond L. Swadley, Vo-Ag teacher at Green Bank High School, will head the campaign in Pocahontas County to raise funds for the State Youth Camp and Conference Center under construction near Ripley. Swadley's appointment was made at a recent meeting held at Marlinton of citizens interested in the youth of the county and the development of the project.

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Mr. Swadley, a graduate of West Virginia University, has taught Vocational Agriculture at Green Bank High School for the past three years and is adviser of the Green Bank Chapter Future Farmers of America.

The State Youth Camp and Conference Center is a 231-acre site located near Ripley in Jackson County and was established as a state institution by the 1949 Legislature. The Center will provide West Virginia's youth and other educational groups a place where they can assemble for the purpose of developing leadership, cooperation, citizenship, better home living, and enjoy wholesome organized recreation. It will be operated on a year-round basis.

The state-wide campaign to raise \$1,000,000 for buildings is sponsored by the West Virginia Future Farmers and Future Homemakers of America which are component parts of two vast national organizations and composed of school youth studying vocational agriculture and homemaking in our state's junior and senior high schools. The fund raising drive is to get underway immediately and will extend through an intensive campaign period of November 1 to November 15.

Gazette Will Have Marlinton Writeup

According to an announcement made Monday, the Town of Marlinton will be displayed in the Charleston Gazette, both graphically as well as pictorially, in the Sunday edition of that newspaper.

Scenic and historical spots in the community as well as views of the town's industries will be displayed.

This is another in a series of articles about towns in West Virginia which are being prepared by Wallace E. Knight, staff writer of the Gazette.



The Beale family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beale at Campbelltown on Sunday, October 14. This was the first time in 19 years that the members of the family had all been together. They are the children of the late John Thomas and Mary Jane Beale.

They were born and reared at Mace, W. Va. Out of a family of 13 children—six girls and seven boys—nine are still living. Those deceased are Early and Howard, and Myrtle and Martha.

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AGLES**



Income Tax Takes Jump With Passage Of New Revenue A

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COPPERHEADS VS. GOLDEN EAGLES



**Copperhead Coach
Claude Miller**



**Golden Eagles Coach
Marvin Wetzel**

The Copperheads of Marlinton High School and the Golden Eagles of Green Bank High are expected to be at it hammer and tongs in their annual gridiron contest which will be played at Green Bank Saturday afternoon. For the Golden Eagles, it will be their annual homecoming game, and for both teams it will be the answer as to which outfit will be county champions for 1951.

Three Marlinton Men Take Recruit Training At Bainbridge, Md.

Three Marlinton Navy men are undergoing recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md.

All seaman recruits, they are Wade T. Sharp, USN; Marvin G. Jackson, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oley W. Jackson, of Route 1, and Robert G. Viers, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Viers, of Yeager Street.

All three men attended Marlinton High School before entering the Naval service in September, 1951.

Upon completion of their 11-week training period at the recently re-activated training center, graduates are assigned to duty stations with the fleet or at Navy shore stations, or are sent to service schools for advanced technical training.

Dunmore Residents Take Top Honors In County Farm Competition This Season

Mr. and Mrs. Carlon Pritchard, of Dunmore, were awarded the top prize of \$25 at the sixth annual county Farming for Better Living award banquet, held last Friday evening at Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. McNeill, of Buckeye, won second place, with money awards going to the following in order listed:

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hively, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert May, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McNeel, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Beverage, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gay and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. McNeel, Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan and Mrs. Austin Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Rader, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barlow, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Callison, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. White, Jr., Mr. and Mrs.

W. H. Cackley, and Mr. and Mrs. Moffett McNeel.

The banquet was attended by 180 farm, business, and professional people of the county. The prize money and the money for the banquet was given by the business men and concerns of the county.

Max DeBerry, judge of the Third Judicial Circuit, of Harrisville, was the guest speaker for the occasion. Other features of the program included special music by Kenneth May, Mrs. Dotty Callison, Eric Clutter, Mrs. Ethel Jeffries, and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brown.

The banquet was sponsored by the Hillsboro Ruritan Club, with Eric Clutter serving as toastmaster.

Turkey Shooting Match

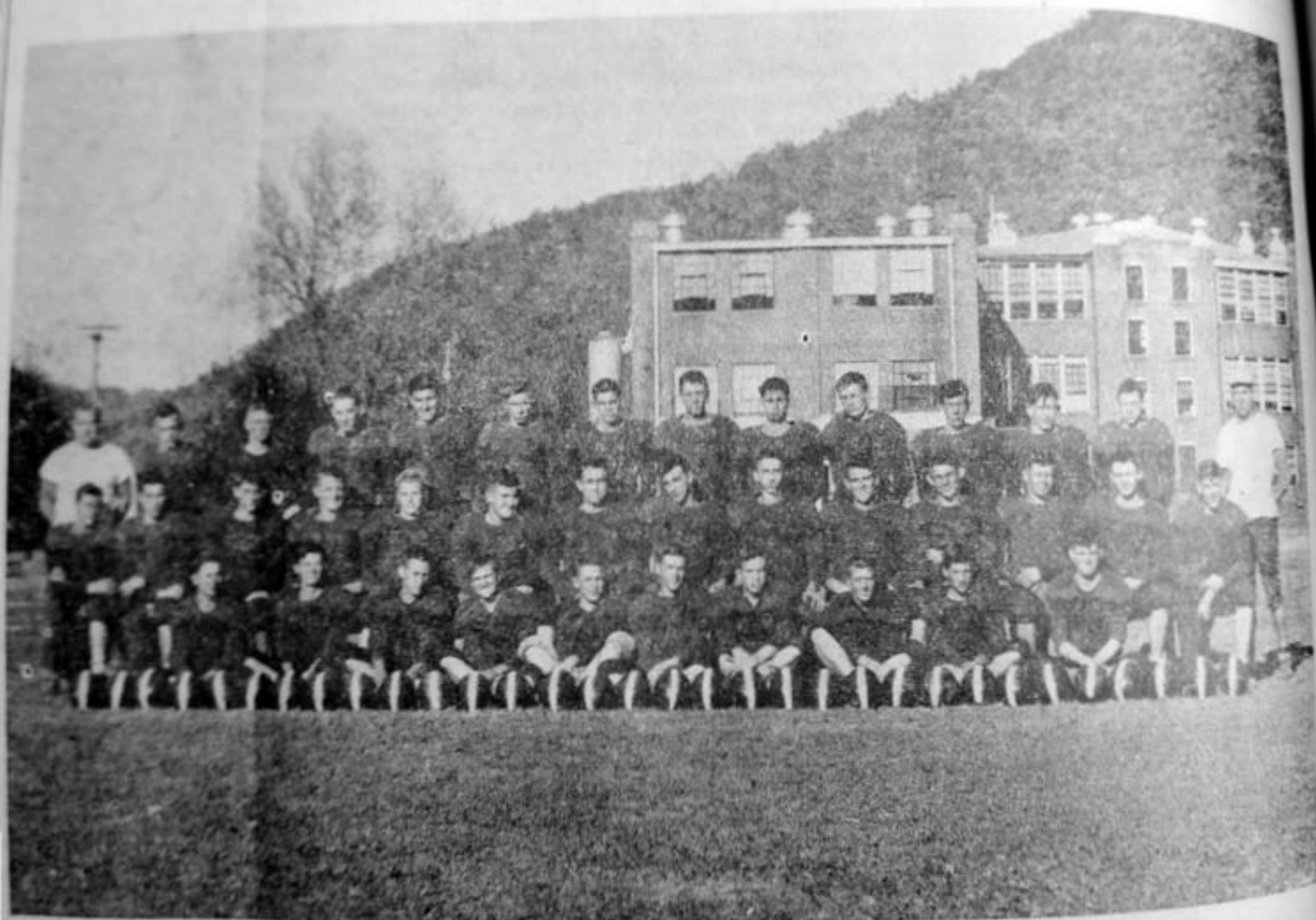
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9:00 A. M.

Gerald Wooddell's Field At Green Bank

**Proceeds will help construct
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Marlinton Copperheads



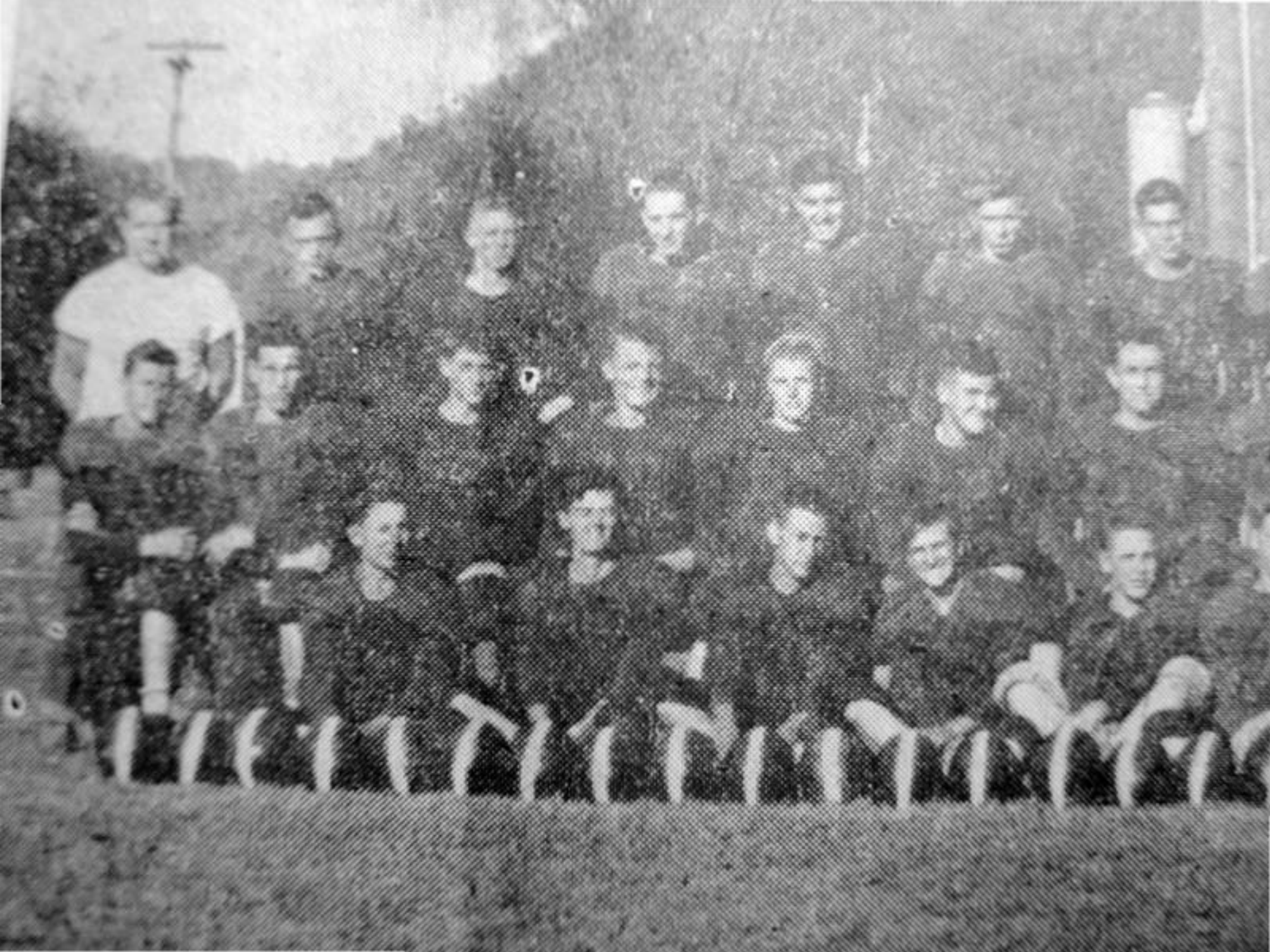
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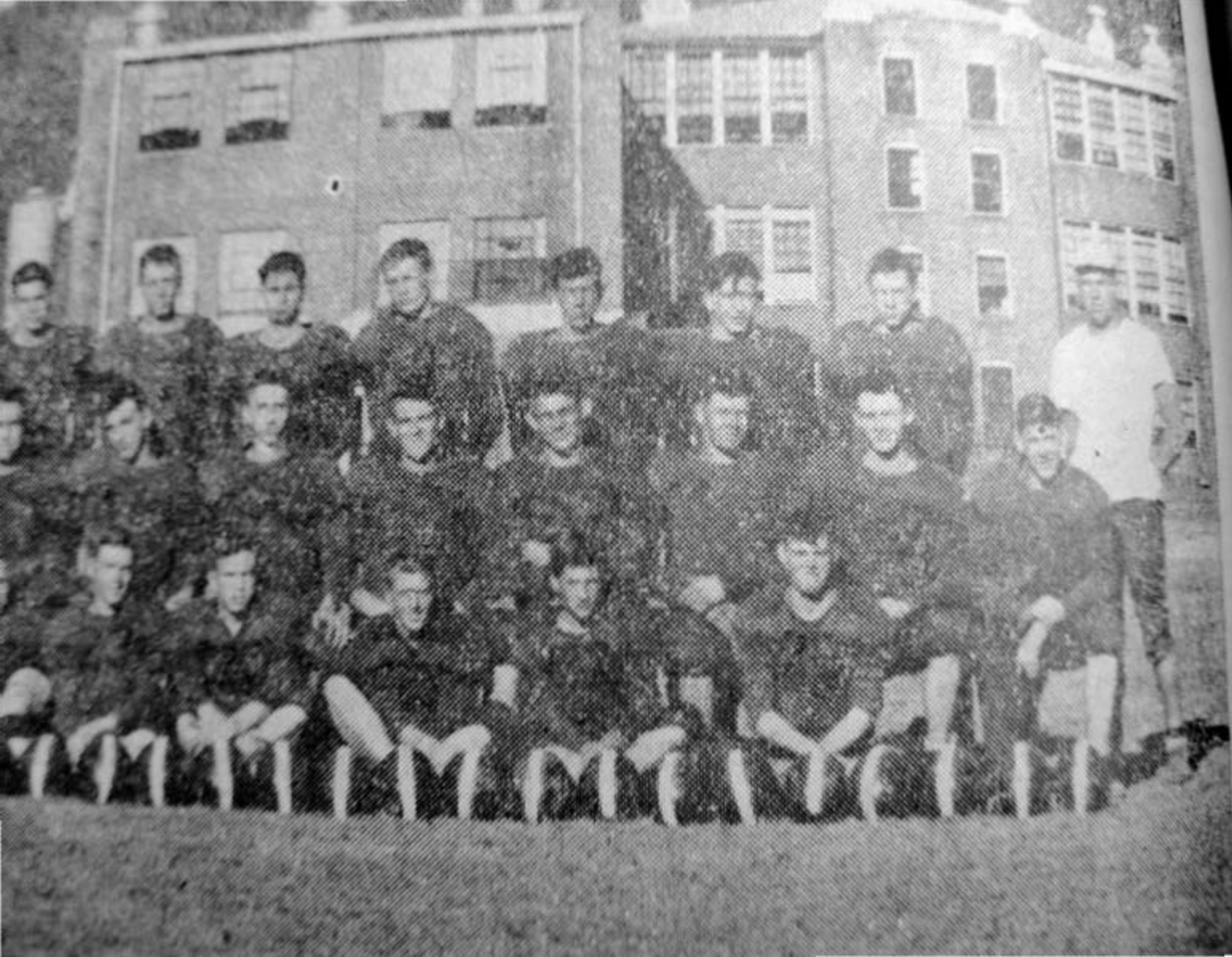
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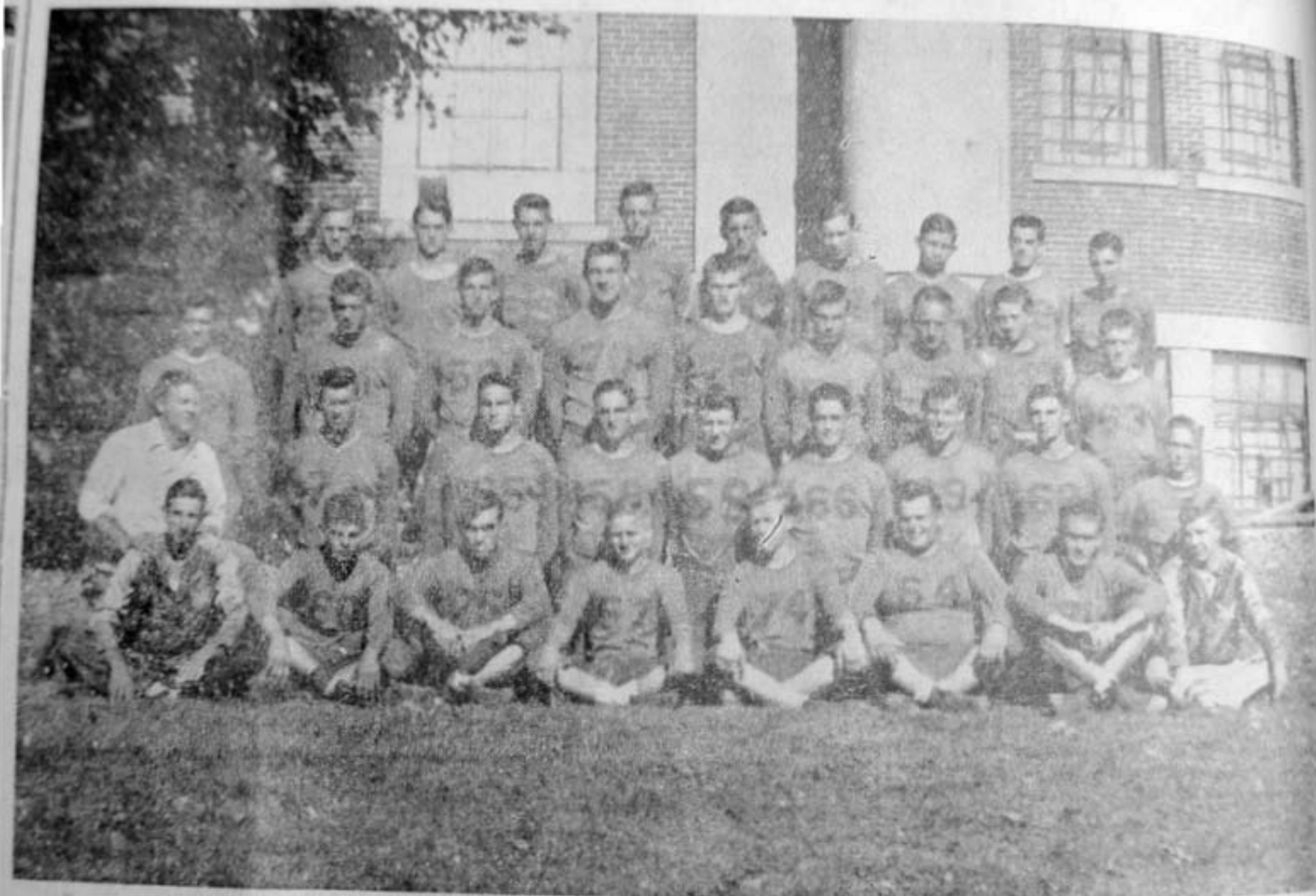
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Green Bank Golden Eagles



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Marlinton Downs Green Bank Gridders In Thrilling 14-13 Contest Last Saturday

Two of the finest gridiron teams to ever represent Marlinton and Green Bank high schools met in their annual contest last Saturday afternoon at Green Bank, and when the contest ended Marlinton was the winner by a close 14-13 score.

The Marlinton victory not only gave the Copperheads the county championship, but qualified them to play in the Greenbrier Valley Conference playoff this week-end at Rainelle as winners of the northern division of the conference. Their opponents will be the Rainelle High School gridders, champions of the southern division of the conference.

While Green Bank was defeated in this crucial contest, the Golden Eagles put up a battle which could be called tops in any high school gridiron contest, and were downed by a game Marlinton team which was fighting desperately for victory.

Fred Shaffer led Marlinton to victory by piling up 173 yards, scoring both his team's touchdowns. He broke off tackle midway in the opening period and

covered 52 yards for Marlinton's first score. Friel bucked over for the extra point.

Green Bank came back in the second quarter, with Bosely climaxing a 45-yard drive by plunging over from the four-yard line. Shears kicked the point after touchdown.

Shaffer again put the Copperheads out in front in the third quarter by racing 40 yards to score. Friel again plunged over for the extra point.

The Golden Eagles, fighting desperately to turn the tide of battle, drove 40 yards for their last touchdown. Shears carried it over from the one-yard line, but failed in his try for the extra point, and this proved to be the margin of victory for the Copperheads.

Green Bank had 17 first downs to 12 for Marlinton, but were outrushed by the Copperheads, 210 yards to 243. It was the 26th contest between the two school's gridiron forces.

Both teams entered the contest with identical season records. Green Bank had lost only